



State of California – The Resources Agency  
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION

## NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

**TO:** Office of Planning and Research  
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**FROM:** Department of Parks and Recreation  
Tehachapi District  
15101 Lancaster Road  
Lancaster, CA 93536

**PROJECT TITLE:** Replacement of Sewer Lift Stations

**LOCATION:** Silverwood Lake SRA

**COUNTY:** San Bernardino

**DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:**

This project is to remove existing Sewage Lift Stations 1, 2, 3 and 4 and replace with new systems. All work will be done in the existing footprint of the lift stations, some areas outside the facilities will have minimal disturbance to provide for the excavation of existing equipment and installation of the new equipment. Disturbance will mainly be due to "track marks" of the heavy equipment involved, and the temporary storage of construction spoils that will be placed back into the excavation when the new equipment is installed. All necessary BMPs will be utilized to prevent intrusion of material into any adjacent watershed areas. During this project period, portable chemical toilets will be available for visitor use, and all comfort/combo buildings and drinking fountains will be shut off and closed.

DPR-approved standard project requirements have been incorporated into this project. A copy of these requirements may be obtained by submitting a request to the project Environmental Coordinator listed below

**PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT:** California Department of Parks and Recreation

**NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT:** Tehachapi

**EXEMPT STATUS:**

- ☐ Declared Emergency (Section 15269(a))  
☐ Emergency Project (Section 15269(b) and (c))  
☐ Statutory Exemption (Section )  
☒ Categorical Exemption  
Class: 2 Section(s): 15302

**REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:**

No potential for significant impacts to the environment is anticipated in compliance with Section 15300.2.  
New structure will be located on the same site as the structure replaced and will have substantially the same purpose and capacity as the structure replaced (class 2)

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